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In re application of

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Christopher L. STONE, et al.

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For:

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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